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2. Request for Consideration of Previously Filed Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.); and
3. Copies of return postcard and previously filed Information Disclosure Statement, Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97(e), and Form PTO-1449 (4 pgs.).

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Applicant acknowledges, with appreciation, the Notice of Allowability mailed December 20, 2004. Attention is directed, however, to the Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 previously filed on *January 20, 2005* and received by the Patent Office on January 24, 2005. To date, Applicant has not received an initialed and signed copy of the Form PTO-1449 confirming that the cited references have been considered. Applicant requests that an initialed and signed copy of the Form PTO-1449 be returned.

For the convenience of the Patent Office, enclosed is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 previously filed on *January 20, 2005* as well as a copy of the return postcard (stamped January 24, 2005) acknowledging receipt of the Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

Request for Consideration of Previously Filed Information Disclosure Statement

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Any inquiry regarding this Request should be directed to either James R. McDaniel at Telephone No. (208) 396-4095, Facsimile No. (858) 655-5859 or Scott A. Lund at Telephone No. (612) 573-2006, Facsimile No. (612) 573-2005. In addition, all correspondence should continue to be directed to the following address:

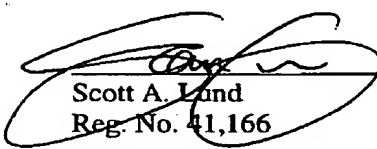
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☒ Applicant(s) submit herewith Form PTO 1449 - Information Disclosure Statement together with any required copies of patents, publications or other information of which applicant(s) are aware, which applicant(s) believe(s) may be material to the examination of this application and for which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

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